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FOREWORD

THE CLOCK OF TIME CHIMES OUT, and we realize our days at Cumberland have come to a close. We eagerly entered, and now we part with our meted share of knowledge and lasting friendships. We hesitantly pause on the brink of a waiting world. Who knows what the future may hold?

To keep alive the memories of the past four years, and as a record of the achievements of the class of nineteen hundred forty-five; we proudly present this book.

CUMBERLAND TOWNSHIP
HIGH SCHOOL

CARMICHAELS PENNA.

DEDICATION

BASKETBALL PLAYERS

Joe Lorinchak, George Bruce, Rudy Tarlosky, Mike Markulic,
Paul Negria, Valent Rumancik, Edmund Ralko

Years from now when the little things are forgotten, we will recall with pride the basketabll team of forty-five. Their victories are emblazoned upon our minds for all time. They are a tribute to our school and to the manhood of America.

Therefore, it is with the highest of admiration and respect, that we, the graduating class of nineteen hundred forty-five, dedicate to the team and to their able coach, Mr. Cree, this issue of the Cumberlander.

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TO THE STAFF OF THE YEARBOOK OF 1945

We wish you success in all your efforts to edit a book worthy of the school.

It is the ambition of the School Board to keep the school up to the high standards for which it was instituted, so that each year it may send out a class better prepared to take a place in the activities of world affairs.

To this end we pledge our continued support and cooperation.

Wilbur I. Lint, *Pres.*

IN MEMORIAM

James Virgil Ridenour

1897-1944

The student body and faculty of Cumberland Township High School mourn the death of our recent principal, James V. Ridenour. His excellent character was one that found its way into the hearts of many, and he was known as an esteemed man of sound principles.

Since 1930, when he first came to Cumberland, he worked to improve our school and maintain a high standard which we now hold over other schools. The home economics, shop, football field, the field house, our school paper, the band and their uniforms, and many other improvements were added during his fourteen years at Cumberland.

His voice lives on in the halls of Cumberland High School which no tragedy will silence, and as we pace the corridors and sit in lecture halls, we often find our thoughts wandering and remembering the times he spoke to us in the past. It will be hard for many of us to forget. He impressed upon all that education and training were essential for a peaceful world.

D. P. Venen, *Principal*

In order that several hundred people may successfully live together in one building, it is necessary that numerous regulations and practices be established so that each individual may enjoy the maximum of liberty and still have full regard for the rights of others. I wish to congratulate you, the student body, on your excellent display of citizenship, on your ability to assume responsibility in handling your own activities, and on your fine spirit of cooperation.

The greatest problems in the post-war world will be those of citizenship. Evidences of your development of good leaders and followers indicate that you are ready to accept the responsibilities of citizenship in your community, your state, your nation, and in some degree the world. Wherever fate leads you, whether into the armed forces of your country which are on every continent, into industry, into college or domestic life, the prayers of all of us go with you.

D. P. Venen, *Principal*

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Opal Murphy

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Wilbur Keister

CUMBERLANDER STAFF

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Helen Irene Babyak

Bertha Mae Hollis

Valent Rumencik

Betty Jean Connor

Shirley Richter

Frank Wozniak

Hildur Baily

CUMBERLANDER STAFF

Claire Barclay

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WAYNESBURG COLLEGE
Paul R. Stewart, *President*
WAYNESBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

SENIORS

HELEN JANE ALLAYAUD

An infectious laugh; loves a good joke. Noted for her singing ability—put them all together and you have Helen Jane.

ACTIVITIES

Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
Chorus 1, 2, 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CLAIRE BARCLAY

Sunny-haired, sweet and friendly. A tireless worker who can always be counted on to help out.

ACTIVITIES

Vice Pres. of Class 1, 2.
Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Vice-Pres. 3, 4.
Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Sec'y-Treas. 4.
Girls "C" Club 4.
Chorus 1, 2.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.

RAYMOND ANDRIA

Hasn't a care in the world, and to "Ham" school is just a pastime.

MARY BERARDI

One of our lovelies; a stately majorette of good standing.

ACTIVITIES

Band 1, 2.
Chorus 1, 2.
Dramatic Club 1, 2.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Intramural B. B. Champs 3.

HELEN IRENE BABYAK

A pleasing personality; an efficient worker. Definitely an asset to the class.

ACTIVITIES

Girls "C" Club 4. Sec'y. 4.
Mike Staff 1, 2, 3, 4.
Press Club 3, 4. Sec'y-Treas.
Cumberlander Staff 1, 3, 4.
Chorus 1, 2.
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

JOSEPH BIALKO

The other half of our twin set. Dark hair, a nice smile — usually has something to say.

ACTIVITIES

Boosters Club 4.
Football 1, 2, 3.
Intramural B. B. Champs 2, 3.

DORIS BAILY

Lovely red hair; often seen at the steering wheel. Intelligent —with a keen interest in the volumes.

ACTIVITIES

Girls "C" Club 4.
Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

STEVE BIALKO

Shy, noted for his blush. A quiet type of gentleman.

ACTIVITIES

Football 1.
Intramural B. B. Champs 2, 3.

CATHERINE BALOG

A tall slender brunette; everyone 'goes for' Katie—looks becoming in everything she wears.

ACTIVITIES

Chorus 1, 2.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

GLADYS BLAKER

Attractive brunette — boasts dancing as a favorite pastime.

VERNON BLAKER

Tall; curly black hair; hails from Fairdale—no interest in girls.

ACTIVITIES
Student Service Club 4.

DORA JEAN CHRISTOPHER

Interested in the opposite sex and seldom seen without a male.

ACTIVITIES
Majorette 3, 4.

AVENELL BLEVINS

Sweet and unobtrusive — a friend to all and of all.

ACTIVITIES
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

MARIE COLAIANNI

Another of the "intelligentsia" of the class. Always has time for her friends even though she's kept busy making A's.

ACTIVITIES
Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Girls "C" Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

GERTRUDE BOGDEN

Friendly; on the look-out for fun—likes to giggle and converse.

ACTIVITIES
Girls "C" Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

BETTY JEAN CONNOR

Irish, smiling, attractive and sweet—many friends. Always seen with 'Gert'.

ACTIVITIES
Mike Staff 3, 4.
Girls "C" Club 4.
Girls' "C" Club 4.
Press Club 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Senior Committee.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

BETTY BROOKS

Cheerful and smiling. Once you hear her laugh, you will always remember it.

ACTIVITIES
Girls "C" Club 4.
Dramatics Club 4.
Library Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 4.

ESTHER P. CRAIG

Smiles, laughter, loads of fun —always likes a good time.

ACTIVITIES
Intramural B. B. Champs 2.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

GEORGE BRUCE

Curly blonde hair—a favorite of students and teachers alike. Grand basketball player — captain of the team.

ACTIVITIES
Football 4.
Basketball 1, 3, 4.
Baseball 1, 2, 3.
Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Student Council 4. Pres. 4.
Varsity "C" Club 4.
Senior Committee.
Sec'y-Treas. of Class 1, 2.
Vice-Pres. of Class 3.
History contest 3.
Home Room Pres. 3, 4.

GERTRUDE CUTLER

Sweet, smiling, and friendly "Gert" is a class personality. Her talents seem endless, and she's tops both in and out of the classroom.

ACTIVITIES
Mike Staff 1, 2, 3, 4. Editor 4.
Press Club 2, 3, 4.
Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Girls' "C" Club 3, 4.
Vice-Pres. 4.
Editor of Cumberlander 4.
History Contest 3.
Senior Committee.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ALBERT CYBAK

Lots of fun—well liked. Interested in one girl only.

ACTIVITIES

Basketball 4.
Student Service 4.
Intramural B. B. Champs 3.

JAMES A. EVANS, Jr.

Tall, handsome, intelligent. A new addition to our class; has already gained many friends.

ACTIVITIES

Booster Club 4.
Cecil Township High School 1, 2, 3.

PAULINE DEMCHAK

A friendly lass who loves and lives life to its fullest capacities.

ACTIVITIES

Chorus 1.
Dramatics Club 1, 2.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

HILDA GARRISON

Jolly and good-natured—definitely on the optimistic side.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ELLA IRENE DICKEY

With us just a year, but dear to the hearts of all.

ACTIVITIES

Jefferson High School 1, 2, 3.

BETTY ANNE GIDEON

Beautiful eyes; popular with her classmates. "Gidge" is a whiz on the gym floor.

ACTIVITIES

Chorus 4.
Girls' "C" Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

HARRY DROST

Leisure loving — seldom serious — revels in mischief and noise.

EUGENE GOUGHNOUR

Never has much to say—happiest when driving his car.

MARGARET DUSENBERRY

A petite brunette whose interests lie outside school.

PATRICIA HAINES

A quiet, attractive brunette, unassuming in manner, liked by everyone.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CHESTER HALIGOWSKI

Never noisy — conscientious worker — sweet fellow.

BERTHA MAE HOLLIS

An efficient young lady with ambition, willing to share responsibility.

ACTIVITIES

Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Girls' "C" Club 3, 4. Pres. 4.
Chorus 1, 2, 3.
Intramural B. B. Champ 2, 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Vice-Pres. of Room 10. 4.
Algebra Contest 1.

ELEANOR HARBAUGH

Usually found in the library; has hopes of someday teaching school.

ACTIVITIES

Chorus 1, 2, 3.
Girls' "C" Club 4.
Library Council 4. Sec'y. 4.
Dramatic Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

MARGARET HOLUPKA

A whiz with a typewriter — bound to be a secretary in demand.

ACTIVITIES

Press Club 4.
Make Staff 3, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CHARLES WILLIAM HART

Nice smile — quiet — likes farm life.

ACTIVITIES

F. C. A. 4.
Intramural B. B. Champ 3.

LESLIE HUNYADY

Pint sized Romeo; main interest, member of Freshie class.

ACTIVITIES

Boosters Club 4.
Dramatic Club 4.

OLAND HARTLEY

Seldom heard: one of our earliest contributions to the armed forces.

ERNA JEWELL

A tranquil, restful miss—busy studying—a real friend.

ACTIVITIES

Nat'l Honor Society 3, 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 2, 4.

MARGARET HERBIK

A tall attractive blonde. A real friend to those who really know her.

ACTIVITIES

Senior Committee.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

JOHN JUMBER

Likeable — sometimes serious —interested in becoming a sailor.

ACTIVITIES

F. C. A. 4.

IRENE KACMARCIK

Gorgeous hair — lovely eyes, always dressed to perfection.

ACTIVITIES

Intramural B. B. Champ 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

JOE LORINCHAK

One of the tallest boys in the class; popular—at his best on the gym floor.

ACTIVITIES

Football 4.
Basketball
Nat'l. Honor Society 3, 4.
Pres. 4.

EDWARD KAIFESH

Tall, good-looking, well-liked —excels in P. D.—an all around good student.

ACTIVITIES

Nat'l. Honor Society 3, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.

GERTRUDE MAHLE

Agreeable, silent; nice disposition.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

DORTHA KERR

Head majorette—adds attractiveness to the band; always active.

ACTIVITIES

Majorette 2, 3, 4.
Cheerleader 1.
Chorus 1, 2.
Nat'l. Honor Society 3, 4.
Mike Staff 3, 4.
Girls' "C" Club 4.
Intramural B. B. Champ 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

IRENE MARINOFF

A merry, brown-eyed miss of cheerful countenance.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Intramural B. B. Champs 3.

ELIZABETH KING

Still as a mouse—a sudden rare smile—a fine friend.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

MICHAEL MARKULIC

Proven ability in football and basketball; always seen with the same brunette.

ACTIVITIES

Football 3, 4.
Basketball 4.
Student Service 4. Pres. 4.
Varsity "C" Club 4. Pres. 4.
Senior Committee.
South Huntingdon High 1, 2.
Football 1, 2.
Student Council 1, 2.
Sec'y. of Class 1, 2.

ALICE KRONK

Light-haired—pleasing personality—interested in having fun.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Chorus 1, 2.
Intramural B. B. Champ 3.

LEORA MAY

A shy country lass; quiet as can be and just goes her own way.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

FRANCIS Mc DERMOTT

Says school is okay—likes to sit back and watch the world go by.

ACTIVITIES

F. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.
Vice-Pres. of F. C. A. 4.

MARION MURRAY

Neat—knows how to dress. A dance and fun lover.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Intramural B. B. Champ. 3.

THELMA Mc DERMOTT

Perfect posture, beautiful hair —courteous and dependable.

ACTIVITIES

Algebra contest 1.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2.

NAOMI NEEL

A petite blonde. Naomi has a charm all her own.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

LLOYD MORRIS

Sometimes a ladies' man—likes a good argument.

ACTIVITIES

Football 4.

MARY PAIDKOVICH

Blue-eyed blonde; intelligent and very resourceful.

ACTIVITIES

Mike Staff 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Chorus 3.

MARGARET MURPHY

Full of humor and always alert for something to laugh about.

ACTIVITIES

Intramural B. B. Champ 3.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CARL E. PAKISH

Substantial build — many friends, especially girls—full of humor and remarks.

ACTIVITIES

Varsity "C" Club 4.
Student Service Club 4.
Football 3, 4.

MARY K. MURPHY

Raven-haired—sweet disposition—seldom heard.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ROY POLAK

Carl's companion who agrees with him most of the time.

ACTIVITIES

Football 3, 4.
Student Service Club 4.
Vice-Pres. 4.
Varsity "C" Club 4.,
Vice-Pres. 4.

ELIZABETH PRELESNIK

The girl with the "peaches and cream" complexion. She is not concerned about the men at Cumberland.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

HARRY RICH

A country gentleman who has little trouble with school.

Booster Club 4.

FRANCES PRODAN

The only true Lilliputian of our class. "Good things come in small packages" holds true in her case.

ACTIVITIES

Girls' "C" Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

SHIRLEY RICHTER

A dramatic senior with a pleasing voice—very attractive and always dignified.

ACTIVITIES

Mike Staff 2, 3, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 3, 4.
Senior Committee
Sec'y, Room 10, 4.
Press Club 3, 4. Vice-Pres. 3, Sec'y, 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

EDMUND RALKO

The famous "Pork Chops"—a name well-known in the field of sports. A galavanting Romeo.

ACTIVITIES

Varsity "C" Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Football 1, 2, 3, 4.
Basketball 2, 3, 4.
Baseball 1, 4.

VALENT RUMANCIK

A swell fellow—everyone's friend—stars not only on the gym floor but also in every class.

ACTIVITIES

Basketball 3, 4.
Nat'l. Honor Society 3, 4.
Varsity "C" Club 4., Sec'y.-Treas. 4.
Cumberlander Staff

CATHERINE RANDOLPH

The domestic type is Catherine. For some man she'll make a lovely wife.

ACTIVITIES

Chorus 1, 2, 3.
Dramatic Club 3, 4.
Library Council 4. Sec'y. 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

GOLDIE RUMBLE

Lovely blonde tresses—doesn't say much—has a smile for everyone.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ROBERT RICE

A grand fellow; Bob's often concentrating on ways and means to boost the popularity of the Booster Club.

ACTIVITIES

Booster Club 4. Pres. 4.
Wrestling 1.
Track 1.
Cumberlander Staff 4.

ANNA MAE SABO

Anna Mae likes to be active—speaks her mind—good natured—takes few things seriously.

ACTIVITIES

Girls' "C" Club 3, 4.
Cheerleader 4.
Mike Staff 2, 3, 4.
Press Club 3, 4., Vice-Pres. 4.
Senior Committee
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 3.

WILLIAM S. SHARPNACK

One who likes books, but only when they're in their proper place—on the shelf.

MARY A. STEVEULAK

A quiet, studious lass who will achieve success.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

AGATHA SHUMAN

A sweet-voiced miss with interests in the stronger sex; has ambition—that of being a kind nurse.

ACTIVITIES

Girls' "C" Club 4.
Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Mike Staff 2, 3, 4.
Senior Committee
Press Club 3, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CHARLES STEWART

Curly-haired lad — likes a good time; often seen motoring.

ACTIVITIES

F. C. A. 4.
Track 1, 2.

AUDREY SMITLEY

A giggle, a crack of gum and a friendly smile all go to compose Audrey.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

WILLIAM STOCKDALE

Quiet, brainy, likeable — a shock of crisp, curly hair—no interest in girls at Cumberland.

ACTIVITIES

F. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4., Pres. 4.

ANNA SORGIOVANNI (SARGENT)

A charming dark-haired miss. Anna has an A-1 disposition.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

MARY STOPICH

An efficient worker is Mary. She knows what she's about in all she does.

ACTIVITIES

Intramural B. B. Champ 2.
Dramatic Club 2.
Girls' "C" Club 3, 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ADELINE STEPANIC

Always with a pretty hair-do; smiling, happy, and care-free.

ACTIVITIES

Mike Staff 3, 4.
Press Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

RUDOLPH TARLOSKY

Interested in sports and women, Rudy is our red-haired Romeo.

ACTIVITIES

Sec'y.-Treas. of Class 3.
Vice-Pres. of Room 4, 4.
Press Club 3, 4., Sec'y.-Treas. 3.
Variety "C" Club 4.
Basketball 1, 3, 4.
Senior Committee

MADELYN THOMPSON

A chppy - go - lucky, blonde-haired lass. Never a dull moment when she's around.

ACTIVITIES

Girls' "C" Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

DORIS WEBB

One who cares little about studies and a great deal about a "witty" conversation.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

ELIZABETH UANICO (YANISH)

A young lady known for her sunny smile and winning way.

BETTY L. WEST

One of the best commercial students—a sweet voice slightly tinged with a southern accent.

ACTIVITIES

Girls' "C" Club 3, 4.
Mike Staff 3, 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Press Club 4.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.
Chorus 1, 2.

WILLIAM L. URBANY

Smiles, laughter—a comedian at times. A grease monkey who motors the girls in his coupe.

ACTIVITIES

Booster Club 4, Vice-Pres. 4.

IRENE WIELKIEWIDZ (WILKOVICH)

A truly genuine girl. Irene has no enemies. She'd do anything for anyone—almost.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

PAUL A. VALLA

A handsome lad—interested in music—plays a mellow sax.

ACTIVITIES

Mike Staff 4.
Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
Booster Club 4.
Student Council 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.
Senior Committee

GLENN WILSON

A ready wit—delights in noise and teasing.

ACTIVITIES

Booster Club

RUDOLPH I. VIOL

A light-haired lad—lots of fun — well-liked by his classmates.

ACTIVITIES

Band 1.
Track 1.
F. C. A. 4.
Booster Club 4, Treas. 4.
Cumberlander Staff 4.

GERTRUDE I. WOLFE

Neat and attractive; silent and very friendly.

ACTIVITIES

Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

FRANK WOZNIAK

Nice smile; excels in physics and chemistry—a talented writer.

ACTIVITIES
Mike Staff 3, 4.
Press Club 4.
Senior Committee
Cumberlander Staff

JOHN SHUBERT

An amiable addition to Cumberland. Gets along with all females. Left us at mid-year to become a Navy man.

ACTIVITIES
Maplecrown High 1, 2.
Mike Staff 3, 4.

ANNA ZABO

A young lady at ease, life goes on, and she lives in her happy-go-lucky manner.

ACTIVITIES
Chorus 1.
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

IRENE TIVIDOR

A tall slender miss, Irene is calm and quiet at all times.

ACTIVITIES
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2, 4.

CAROLINE MACHESKY

ACTIVITIES
Phys. Ed. Dem. 1, 2,

HISTORY OF THE CLASS OF '45

As we look back over the last four years of our school life, we remember the first time we made our way uncertainly down the halls. By way of showing authority, the upper-classmen required that the girls remove their shoes and that the boys roll up their trousers and put their shirts on backwards or—the ducking, usually administered anyway.

In this our first year we chose as our officers, Joe Lorinchak, president; Claire Barclay, vice-president; George Bruce, secretary-treasurer. These officers served us for both freshman and sophomore years.

Our class engaged wholeheartedly in athletics. Steve and Joe Bialko, Carl Pakish, Roy Polak, Lloyd Morris, Edmund Ralko, Joe Franks, Emil Zubal, and Alfred Affantranger made progress on the football squad.

From our class, Gertrude Cutler and Helen Irene Babyak were appointed to the Mike staff as artist and freshman editor respectively. Many of our girls joined the chorus directed by Mrs. Funk. Our class held many who were musically inclined and their talents were made known in the band and orchestra.

Paul Valla, Rudy Tarlosky, Joe Lorinchak, Edmund Ralko, and George Bruce were then on the "B" squad in basketball, all well on the road to the varisty squad. Wrestling too attracted some of our boys, namely: Harry Drost and Edward Sufilka.

As we entered Cumberland again in September of '43 as juniors, we were much older and wiser. We were now upper-classmen. This year we elected, Joe Lorinchak, president; George Bruce, vice-president; and Rudy Tarlosky, secretary-treasurer. Markulic, Pakish, Ralko, Polak, Morris, and the Bialko brothers were still our mainstays in the line of football; while Lorinchak, Bruce, Rumancik, Ralko, and Tarlosky, were definitely established on the varisty basketball squad.

Our flower, colors, and motto were selected by our class officers. Their choice for class flower was the rose; colors, green and white; and the motto, "Do your best and a little more."

When the fall of 1944 rolled around we were ready and eager to take our place as seniors. It seemed almost as though we were coming home. By this time we had dwindled in number to about one-half of our original class.

In November we were greatly shocked and grieved over the sudden death of our principal, Mr. James V. Ridenour. His place was taken by our coach and chemistry teacher, Mr. D. P. Venen.

Upon the revival of the Student Council, that organization was functioning under the leadership of George Bruce, president; Paul Valla, the other senior representative. Other senior officers were Rudy Tarlosky, Mike Markulic, Bertha Mae Hollis, and Shirley Richter.

Halloween brought to the seniors a success in the way of a Halloween dance. The committee for the dance decorated with crepe paper and such corn stalks and pumpkins as could be bought, borrowed, or otherwise. The dance was a complete success.

In basketball an all-senior varsity team played one of the most successful and spectacular seasons in the history of Cumberland High. Bruce, Markulic, Lorinchak, Ralko, Rumancik, Morris and Cybak scored with an agility bordering on perfection. The successful season proved our new coach, Mr. Cree, one of the best.

Next in the prominence of our interests came the prom and the excitement of who was or wasn't going. The committee made up of George Bruce, chairman, Betty Jean Connor, Anna Mae Sabo, Shirley Richter, Gertrude Cutler, Jor Lorinchak, Rudy Tarlosky, Paul Valla, and Frank Wozniak decided to have it at the Nemacolin Country Club on March the fifteenth.

Leaving this school as the rising generation of a post-war world, we wish to thank our teachers and principal for the basic education we have acquired. May we never forget this instruction as we face the responsible duties awaiting us; may it always help us to "*Do Our Best and a Little More.*"

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CLASS MIRROR

Name	*Nickname*	*Pet Expressions*
Helen Jane Allayaud	Minnie	*For crying out easy!*
Raymond Andrea	Ham	*Gosh!*
Helen Irene Babyak	Babe	*Oh, My*
Doris Baily	Dun	*Jeepers*
Catherine Balog	Daisy	*Aw Shucks!*
Claire Barclay	Tootie	*You're a Pill!*
Mary Berardi	Mary	*Could Be*
Joe Bialko	Yosh	*You tickle me*
Steve Bialko	Pesht	*I'll tell Mama!*
Gladys Blaker	Skip	*Are you kidding?*
Vernon Blaker	Wobbles	*The heck with it!*
Avenell Blevins	Blev	*Yi, Yi, Yi!*
Gertrude Bogden	Toots	*Oh, heck!*
George Bruce	Pyes	*Nix, Blix!*
Betty Brooks	Fats	*Yes you is!*
Dora Jean Christopher	Fuzz	*Are you kiddin?*
Marie Colaianni	Tink	*Oh, Gracious!*
Betty Jean Connor	Con	*Naturally!*
Gertrude Cutler	Gert	*I don't understand!*
Esther Craig	Esther	*Don't be silly!*
Albert Cybak	Abe	*What do you want—a medal?*
Pauline Demchak	Demy	*How are you!!*
Ella Dickey	Ellie	*So What!*
Harry Drost	Super	*Aw, go on!*
Margaret Dusenberry	Peggy	*Oh Gee!!*
James Evans, Jr.	Jim	*Don't be silly!*
Hilda Garrison	Hildegarde	*Boy, Oh Boy!*
Betty Anne Gideon	Gidge	*Are you kiddin?*
Eugene Goughnour	Coke	*Heck, No!*
Chester Haligowski	Gump	*I 'on't know*
Patricia Haines	Pat	*Oh, I don't know*
Eleanor Harbaugh	Honey	*Not Really!*
Charles Hart	Bill	*Holy Smoke!*
Oland Hartley	Oland	*Whatt??*
Margaret Herbik	Marge	*Definitely!!*
Bertha Mae Hollis	Slats	*You know me!*
Margaret Holupka	Peg	*How sweet!*
Leslie Hunyady	Les	*Oh, you kid!*
Erna Jewell	Janie	*Forever More!*
John Jumber	Jump	*Say now!*
Irene Kacmarcik	Kissie	*Ohhhhhhhhhhhh !!!*
Edward Kaifish	Ki	*Aw! Gee!!!*
Dortha Kerr	Kerr	*How cute!*
Elizabeth King	Libby	*Are you kidding?*
Alice Kronk	Taffy	*Oh, phooey!*
Joseph Lorinchak	Joe	*Oh, Kerr!*
Gertrude Mahle	Gert	*Skip it*

CLASS MIRROR

Name	*Nickname*	*Pet Expressions*
Irene Marinoff	I	*Naturally*
Michael Markulic	Curley	*Give me Nellie!!*
Leora May	Lee	*Oh, Gee!*
Francis McDermott	Fritz	*That's a Doozy!!*
Thelma McDermott	Te'ma	*Oh, Shucks!*
Lloyd Morris	Moe	*What d'ys mean?*
Margaret Murphy	Toby	*Are you kiddin?*
Mary Katherine Murphy	Murph	*Oh, yeah!*
Marion Murray	Marion	*Holy Balls!*
Naomi Neel	Nonie	*Awwwwwwwww!*
Mary Paidokovich	Padok	*Oh, Yi!*
Carl Pakish	Tweetie	*What'sa matter, you crazy?*
Roy Polak	Hector	*Ye-ow!*
Elizabeth Prelesnik	Betty	*Oh, brother!*
Frances Prodan	Pro	*Oh, Yoi!*
Edmund Ralko	Pork Chops	**$½z?*$%&z&********½–75
Catherine Randolph	Cathie	*Greetings*
Robert Rice	Bob	*Honest to Pat!*
Harry Rich	Hank	*Here, I'll show you how to do it*
Shirley Richter	Rick	*Ye Gods!!*
Valent Rumancik	Vince	*I wouldn't know about that*
Goldie Rumble	Goldie	*Oh ! Gee!*
Anna Mae Sabo	Saboo	*Don't feel bad!*
William Sharpnack	Shakespeare	*Oh, Boy!!*
Agatha Shuman	Gatha	*Ask me again*
Audrey Smitley	Smitty	*Ye Gods, and Little Fishes*
Anna Sargent	Sarge	*Do tell!*
Adeline Stepanic	Al	*Heaven knows*
Mary Stevulak	Mar	*Are you serious?*
Charles Stewart	Charlie	*Heh! No kiddin!!*
William Stockdale	Bill	*Jumpin Catfish!*
Mary Stopich	Stope	*Oh, Brother!!*
Rudolph Tarlosky	Lutta	*Holy Cats!!*
Madelyn Thompson	Pete	*Holy Smoke!!*
Irene Tividor	I	*Broth-er!*
Elizabeth Yanish	Liz	*Hu-nk*
William Urbany	Bill	*Yah, I do*
Paul Valla	Paullie	*I love 'em all!!*
Rudy Viol	Woody	*Let's find some women!!*
Doris Webb	Jonesy	*Oh Gee!!*
Betty West	Betts	*So---?*
Irene Wilkovich	I	*Oh, I hate everybody!*
Glenn Wilson	Tode	*You tickle me!*
Gertrude Wolfe	Peanut	*Oh, shoot!*
Frank Wozniak	Wozy	*You're just sayin' that cause it's true!*
Anna Zabo	Ann	*Oh Heck*
John Shubert	Johnny	*Aw, cut it out!!!*

SENIOR PROPHECY

Ho-hum!!! This is such a carefree day. Just perfect for a little shut-eye in the hammock. Who wants to work on such a cloudless noon, with the bees buzzing and the birds singing, and the beauty of the blue sky so indescribable. Oh, what is so rare as a day in June.

June!!! Well, for goodness sakes, it was exactly ten years ago this month that the frolicsome, happy-go-lucky class of 1945 walked through the portals of Cumberland High for the last time.

I wonder where those classmates are today . . . Perhaps they're doing just what they planned . . . or married . . . or . . . or . . .

Well, here comes a crowd of people. And how marvelous!! Walking right down a sunbeam. Look, look!! It's my class, the Class of 1945, and they're here to tell me what they've been doing since I last saw them.

Helen Jane Allayaud—"I'm now known as the 'Nightingale of the Airwaves,' and you can hear me singing love songs nightly over station WMBS."

Raymond Andria—"I am running a famous flea circus, and do I boss those fleas!! When I speak, they jump."

Helen Irene Babyak—"I have just finished college and have filed my application as physical education instructor at C. H. S. I want to replace Miss Baily."

Doris Baily—"I am the author of that best seller, 'Why Men Prefer Redheads." My fan mail has so increased, that I had to hire three more secretaries."

Katherine Balog—"I'm a professional model in New York City. When the day's work is done, I'm escorted to the biggest night clubs in town."

Claire Barclay—"I'm an archeologist, and recently returned from Egypt where I uncovered several pharaohs' tombs."

Mary Berardi—"I have just been voted 'The Girl with the Loveliest Brown Eyes in Pennsylvania' by the photographers' association."

Joe Bialko—"I recently became a member of the Spit and Argue Club. Our membership is increasing."

Steve Bialko—"I'm not quite as bashful as I used to be, and am now woring as cartoonist for the Pittsburgh Post Gazette."

Vernon Blaker—"I'm proprietor of an ice-cream shop, and the leading soda jerker in the district. My sundaes are a dilly."

Gladys Blaker—"True Love and Confessions has just presented me with a medal for being their most ardent reader and contributor."

Avenell Blevins—"For the third consecutive year, I have been voted the champion female basketball player in the U. S."

Gertrude Bogden—"I have just returned from a very profitable scavenger hunt. I found myself a man!!"

Betty Brooks—"I have married my fifth husband and am going back to Carmichaels to settle down."

George Bruce—"I am the new principal of Paisley High School. My first act was to do away with all classes and have seven periods of basketball."

Dora Jean Christopher—"I got hitched to a drug store cowboy, and we are contemplating moving to the wild and woolly west!"

Marie Colaianni—"I have remodeled the Hill Top Restaurant and cater to the society of Nemacolin."

Betty Jean Connor—"I was a private secretary for several years, but decided to give it up in favor of housekeeping. Why? I married my boss, of course."

Gertrude Cutler—"I'm enjoying success as both fashion illustrator for a leading magazine and as housewife. I love to gaze across the table into the eyes of hubby, whom I must support."

Esther Craig—I have just opened a dancing school in Carmichaels, and I teach the latest dance steps to my many pupils."

Albert Cybak—"I'm owner and operator of the Jew Hill Pawn Shop. Business isn't so good. In fact, I'm my only and best customer."

Pauline Demchak—"I'm a front line chorus girl in the latest hometown show titled Crucible Scandals of 1955."

Ella Dickey—"I'm one of the leading residents of Cumberland Village, and just waiting for the right man to come along."

Harry Drost—"I'm mayor of Buckeye, and am deep in thought as to how the old hometown can be improved."

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Margaret Dusenberry—"I'm taking flying lessons to keep up with my husband. The other day I flew too low and damaged the flagpole in the Carmichael's square."

James Evans—"I'm the leading sleuth on the Carmichael's police force. After being on the same case for eight years, I think I've found a clue."

Hilda Garrison—"I'm proprietor of a dress shoppe in Waynesburg. My motto is 'Garrison's Gowns make you look like Grable'."

Betty Ann Gideon—"I have just completed a tour of the country in my auto. My trip greatly increased my collection of speed tickets."

Eugene Goughnour—"I am the author of the great mystery novel 'Who Shot Grandpa When He Wasn't Looking?' "

Patricia Haines—"I am no longer leading my quiet life. In fact, I have given so many rousing speeches of late, that I expect to be the first woman candidate for President."

Chester Haligowski—"I'm taking life easy and traveling when and where I please. Don't let anyone ever tell you that my wife was the reason I left home."

Eleanor Harbaugh—"I have taken acting seriously and am in the current Broadway hit, 'One Drink Too Many'."

Charles Hart—"I have just been voted president of the Stringtown Bachelors' Club."

Oland Hartley—"I followed in my father's footsteps and I'm living the quiet life of a farmer."

Margaret Herbik—"My husband and I just had an argument. He gets angry over the smallest things. All I did was run the car into a fireplug and tear off the bumper and two doors."

Bertha Hollis—"I am an architectural engineer, and have constructed a model town near Crucible."

Margaret Holupka—"I'm married and living in Nemacolin where my husband is chief garbage collector."

Leslie Hunyady—"I am making plenty of dough by giving a course on how to grow tall in thirty days."

Erma Jewell—"I have married a preacher who has gained fame with his sermon 'Goint to Heaven on a B-19'."

John Jumber—"I am attending medical school and I'm specializing in heart ailments. The kind caused by love."

Irene Kacmarcik—"I have just returned from a very exciting trip around the world. International relations are now more friendly—especially where I'm concerned.

Edward Kaifesh—"I recently applied for my first job in order to raise the necessary two bucks to pay the preacher."

Dortha Kerr—"I'm living in Khedive where Joe has just completed a lovely white picket fence to surround our cottage."

Elizabeth King—"My boyfriend wrote to me so often, that I upped and married the mailman."

Alice Kronk—"I have definitely given up men and have settled down to become the leading society matron of Crucible."

Joe Loviuchak—"I'm back at C. H. S. as football and basketball coach, and we are having a very successful season."

Gertrude Mahle—"I'm Dorothy Dix's successor; and, a leading advisor on love problems."

Irene Marinoff—"I am the owner of a fur shop, and business is good. We specialize in the skunk variety."

Leora May—"Although I may someday be out to see how the world is getting along, right now I'm enjoying life on my little farm, away from it all."

Francis McDermott—"I'm teaching Industrial Arts at Podunk Prep School, and I have my eye on a young lady in a nearby town."

Thelma McDermott—"After playing a glamorous stage role for several seasons. I'm traveling west to try my luck in Hollywood."

Lloyd Morris—"I am a taxi driver and haul luscious blondes only."

Margaret Murphy—"I'm professional laugher in a comedy show. My husband is the star, and I'm the only one that laughs at his jokes."

Mary Katherine Murphy—"I organized and have been elected president of the Be Kind to Animals and Men Club."

Marion Murray—"I am planning a nationwide speech on the subject 'Jitter—don't Waltz.' I spend my spare time admiring the male population."

Naomi Neel—"I am a ballet dancer at the very exclusive Hot Shot Nite Club."

Mary Paidakovich—"I'm the gossip editor for the Klondike Bulletin. My column is titled 'Knows all, sees all, tells all.' "

Carl Pakish—"I am no longer enjoying the carefree days of the past because I finally got hitched. Boy, am I henpecked! My wife forbids me to make a single wisecrack."

Roy Polak—"I am a sailor, and I have broken a Navy tradition. I have two girls in every port."

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Betty Prelesnik—"I'm content with just adding Mrs. to my name, and living in a vine covered cottage near Nemacolin."

Frances Prodan—"I've reached my life-time ambition. I'm now Mrs. J. S., and you'll find me keeping house in a bungalow in Fairdale."

Edmund Ralko—"Since Charles Atlas retired, I've taken over his position and pose daily for magazine ads. My working hours are short; for you see, I can't disappoing all those admiring females in the evenings."

Catherine Randolph—"I have just returned from a hitchhiking tour on which I married a titled gentleman—King of the Hoboes."

Robert Rice—"I'm still blessed with that gift of gab, so I'm now a traveling salesman for the Fittum Corest Company."

Harry Rich—"I recently received a great honor from the play critics who voted me 'The Hammiest Hamlet of All Time'."

Shirley Richter—"I'm still running around in circles trying to decide which lad charms me most. Last week I hit an all-time high by breaking seventeen hearts."

Goldie Rumble—"I won the title of 'Prettiest Blond Hair' in the county in a recent contest."

Valent Rumancik—"I was content with leading a quiet home life; but a talent scout came to Crucible, and before I knew it I found myself one of the most popular of the Hollywood leading men."

Anna Mae Sabo—"I still retain that unending store of pep, and I am touring the country as a living example why you should use more Pet Vitamins."

Anna Sargent—"I have made it a point to walk at least five miles each day in order to keep a youthful figure."

William Sharpnack—"I have let my hair grow in the traditional manner of all great poets; so it's easy to understand why they call me Shakespeare."

John Shubert—"I have resisted all attempts of beautiful girls to lure me into marriage, and I am the wealthiest bachelor in Mexico."

Agatha Shuman—"I'm a nurse at the Uniontown Hospital. I might also add that I'm engaged to all the male patients."

Audrey Smitley—"Since 1945 I've been taking lessons on how to stop giggling. So far, I've had no success."

Adeline Stepanic—"I still walk around with a grin; mostly because I keep thinking of the jokes I'll write for Bob Hope's next show."

Mary Stevulak—"I am in Paris studying clothes designing. I have just completed a trousseau for Hedy Lamarr."

Charles Stewart—"I am a professional auto racer, and have named my racer the 'Stewart Stinkeroo'."

William Stockdale—"I have just perfected the greatest invention of all time. Now, all I have to do is to find out what it can be used for."

Mary Stopich—"I am the greatest basketball referee at Thompson's School for Boys."

Rudy Tarlosky—"Lana Turner took one look at this red hair, and I've been her chauffeur ever since."

Madelyn Thompson—"Betty Hutton finally ran out of pep, so I've taken over."

Irene Tevedor—"I have just written a book 'How to Get a Husband.' Now I'm going to read it and see if it brings results."

William Urbany—"Five years ago a movie company sent me to the south seas to collect information for a picture. What scenery!! No wonder I stayed so long."

Paul Valla—"I'm still interested in music, I've finally landed the job of my dreams—playing nightly at Poison's!"

Rudy Viol—"After ten years at Yale, I have been voted most likely to graduate in '65."

Doris Webb—"I was on the verge of marriage several times, but I just can't find anyone that suits me. So far, I've returned ten engagement rings."

Betty West—"I'm running a roller-rink on the East Coast, and during my spare time, wait for my favorite sailor's ship to come in."

Irene Wilkovich—"I'm the bright and shining light in a large New York office where I'm taking dictation and also a heart or two."

Glenn Wilson—"I'm a politician and specialize in acquiring votes by kissing babies—over twenty-one."

Gertrude Wolfe—"I am the best dressed bachelor lady in all Africa."

Frank Wozniak—"I am now a critic on the New York Times. Once in awhile I write a blazing editorial on 'What's Wrong With Women'."

Elizabeth Yanish—"I am chewing-gum tester for the Bigger Bubble Gum Co. We live up to our motto."

Anna Zabo—"I have just perfected a new type of ammunition. It happened quite by accident while I was baking biscuits."

Mike Markulic—"I am at the head of the Markulic Chop-Suey Co. In enjoy my work, especially with Nellie as my secretary."

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1945

In order that we may leave the school with a clear conscience, we do hereby bequest the sum of fifteen cents to be paid to Mr. Kerr every month to pay for his Reader's Digest so he can also pay his gas bill. To limit any possibility of our advisor, Mrs. Baily, acquiring any grey hairs because of listless students, we do hereby bequest her a priority on all alarm clocks. Future students of Cumberland Township's "Institute of Schoology" may make use of all work books, excuse cards, and detention slips which we have had in our possession during the last year.

Each member of the senior class does herewith will, bequeath, and give in trust to the under-graduates all those virtues which he has the good fortune to possess, namely, as follows:

Erna Jewell	leaves her quiet charm and beauty.
Joe Lorinchak	leaves his B. B. uniform to Don Campbell —(it might fit).
Edward Kaifish	wills his excellent grades in P. D. and current events tests.
Gertrude Cutler	leaves her position as editor of the "Mike" to Rita Roth.
George Bruce	wills his position on the B. B. team and his scholastic ability.
Betty Anne Gideon	leaves her vim, vigor, and vitality.
Albert Cybak	wills all the mischievous deeds he has every accomplished in the past four years.
Vernon Blaker	wills his high-seated desk to Jack Goodman.
Mary Berardi	wills her position as majorette with the band.
Esther Craig	wills her quick swinging gait and her friendly sarcasm.
Pauline Demchak	leaves Urtz to the mercy of the under-class wolves.
Mari Colaianni	wills her ambition.
Robert Rice	bequeaths the oil he uses on his hair.
Adeline Stepanic	wills her fetching smile.
Doris Baily	leaves her tranquility and wonderful disposition.
Valent Rumancik	bequeaths his well-groomed appearance and his wonderful physique.
Steve Bialko	leaves his shy but witty remarks.
Katherine Balog	wills her pretty brown eyes and swell figure.
Bill Stockdale and Rudy Viol	will their much envied position in the shop.
Helen J. Allayaud	wills her contagious laughter.
Joe Bialko	wills his noisy cleated heels.
Charles Stewart	wills his Charles Atlas build.
Paul Valla	leaves his talented sax playing.
Gertrude Wolf	bequeaths her smallness.
Avenell Blevins	wills her agility.
Harry Rich	leaves his opinions on how everything should be solved.
Agatha Shuman	leaves her advantageous seat in Physics class and her inability to resist gossip.
Helen Irene Babyak	leaves her carefree personality.
Audry Smitley	leaves her ever present giggles.
Raymond Andria	donates his height to Stanley Mayer.
Frank Wozniak	leaves his bewitching personality and winsome smile.
Bill Urbany	gives his sense of humor.
Dora J. Christopher	donates her riding pants and hunting shirts.
Mary Stopich	leaves her honest refereeing of girl's B. B. games.
Betty West	leaves her typing ability to one of Mrs. Hollister's problem children.
Roy Polak	leaves his place on the football team.
Gertrude Mahle	donates her quiet mannerisms.

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1945

Ella Dickey - - - - - gives her long curly locks.
James Evans - - - - - wills his wavy brown hair.
Rudy Tarlosky - - - - - leaves his ability to win friends and influence teachers.
Ann Zabo - - - - - - gives her inconspicuousness.
Irene Wilkovich - - - - - donates her congenial friendliness.
Madelyn Thompson - - - - leaves her pep.
Peggy Dusenberry - - - - gives her petiteness.
Irene Teveder - - - - - donates a cheerful attitude.
Lloyd Morris - - - - - leaves his place on the football team, and also his Casanova tactics.
Shirley Richter - - - - - donates her attractiveness.
Anna Mae Sabo - - - - - leaves her host of friends and wonderful sense of humor.
Francis McDermott - - - - leaves his "Mr. Fixit" disposition.
Thelma McDermott - - - - leaves her typewriter for a quiet home life.
Mike Markulic - - - - - leaves his curls for the straight-haired under-classmen.
Charles Hart - - - - - wills his quiet and dignified character.
Anna Sargent - - - - - wills her coal black hair and lovely smile.
Katherine Randolph - - - - donates her laugh.
Edmund Ralko - - - - - wills his athletic prowess and inability to concentrate on school books.
Betty Prelesnik - - - - - wills her genial attitude toward everyone.
Marian Murry - - - - - wills her dancing ability.
Goldie Rumble - - - - - wills her golden blonde hair.
Leora May - - - - - wills her pretty complexion.
Frances Prodan - - - - - leaves her neatness.
Dortha Kerr - - - - - leaves her baton.
Mary Paidkovich - - - - leaves her typing ability.
Margaret Murphy - - - - bequeaths her jollity.
Irene Marinoff - - - - - leaves her big brown eyes.
Naomi Neel - - - - - bequeaths her nice disposition.
Bertha Ma Hollis - - - - bequeaths her presidency of the Girls' "C" Club.
Claire Barclay - - - - - wills her sunny hair and freckles.
Hilda Garrison - - - - - leaves her hosts of good friends.
Eleanor Harbaugh - - - - bequeaths her dramatic ability.
Leslie Hunyady - - - - - leaves Dolores Palko for his job with Uncle Sam.
Chester Haligowski - - - - leaves the title of "Gump" in preference to "seaman."
Harry Drost - - - - - leaves his naps in English class.
Elizabeth King - - - - - bequeaths her many hair ornaments.
Alice Kronk - - - - - - wills her pretty dimples.
Carl Pakish - - - - - leaves his jokes and wolfish tactics to a freshman.
Patricia Haines - - - - - wills her quiet ways and winsome disposition.
Irene Kasmarcik - - - - - leaves her large following of friends and her individual beauty.
Margaret Herbick - - - - leaves her willingness to cooperate.
Margaret Holupka - - - - wills her position as typist on the "*Mike*."
John Jumber - - - - - donates his manner of wearing his clothes.
Oland Hartley - - - - - donates his ability to mind his own business.
Elizabeth Yanish - - - - leaves her sport cloths to Jean Yarish.
Doris Webb - - - - - - leaves her address book.
Mary Stevulak - - - - - leaves her attentiveness.
Gertrude Bogden - - - - donates her willingness to work.
Betty Jean Conner - - - - leaves her sedateness to Phyllis Andrews.
Eugene Goughnour - - - - leaves his seat in "Boy's Row" in Room IV.
Gladys Blaker - - - - - leaves studiousness for her Lieutenant.
Betty Brooks - - - - - donates her position in the library.
Mary Katherine Murphy - - - leaves her slim hands and feet.
William Sharpnack - - - - leaves school for a battleship.
Glenn Wilson - - - - - leaves his height to Robert Stilwell.

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JUNIORS

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

President - - - - - - - Mary Lorinchak

Vice-President - - - - - - - - Joe Katusa

Treasurer - - - - - - - - - Kay Sudar

Class Colors - - - - - - Lavendar and White

Class Flower - - - - - - - - - - Lilac

Three short years ago the greenies of 1942 entered Cumberland Township High School, terrified but ready for anything. We took our share of hazing as a part of the age-old custom of initiation. We got off to a good start by placing members of our class in such activities as football, band, Dramatic Club, and Mike Staff. The end of the school year found us ready, willing, and eager to take our rightful places as sophomores.

Our sophomore year was crowded with activities. By the end of the year, we found we had been hosts to three sweater hops and a very successful spring dance. It also found us willing to work and play as more dignified, less childish students.

This year as juniors, we have been very busy in all school activities. We have finally been recognized as a real part of our school. Three new organizations welcomed us as active members. The Student Service and Student Council were formed to improve the school discipline and activities; the Booster's Club, to encourage the buying of stamps and bonds. The juniors were active in football, basketball, Boosters, Dramatics, Band, Student Council, and Student Service. The C Club found many new junior girls in its organization. Socially, we were equally active. We were sponsors of sweater hops, and at the present plans are being made for a spring dance.

Upon closing the book on another war school year, we wish the Seniors all the luck possible. To them falls the prodigious task in the coming prolific new post-war years of working to rebuild all that has been destroyed. It will be their duty as citizens to contribute to the storehouse of ideas in order to make a better world. So to you, Seniors, we say: "Walk with up-held heads, refuse to shirk your tasks, and go onward and upward to higher ideals."

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Second Row: Paul Buljat, Russell Crawford, Carl Allison, George Baily, Donald Campbell, Arthur Biddle, Dan Brody, Charles Adamson, George Bankovich, Charles Cielinsky

Third Row: Helen Baily, Norman Dunlap, Flora Bailey, Billie Bishop, Edna Mae Bell, Edward Boyle, Dorothy Alderson, Judy Cole, Phyllis Andrews, Josephine Beck

First Row: Frances Kasinec, Wilma Fieldson, Sophia Kasinec, Marcia Gland, Frances Ferree Ruth Ferree, Betty Ferree, Mary Lorinchak, Thelma Frasier, Mary Kerr.

Second Row: Raymond Grooms, Eugene Flenniken, Donald Lasko, Earl King, Jack Goodman, Jim Guesman, John Hathaway, George Kartley, Mildred Grile

Third Row: Frank Latsnic, Lorraine Hollis, Juanita Krause, Lois Huntley, Doris Fowler, Marion Lapsevich, Ira Grooms

First Row: Richard Yarish, Robert Williamson, William Valencia, Stanley Meyer, Harold Wilson, Thomas Stofcheck, William Smitley, Paul Sharpnack

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Third Row: Wilbur Mundell, Robert Zadel, Frank Nemesh, Richard Urda, Andrew Ward, Steve Mosolovich, Leonard Udovich, Gregg Waters, Chester Severini, Verna Novak

Fourth Row: Evelyn Snopic, Madelyn Zubal, Jean Taylor, Nellie Podabinsky, Dolly Mills, Frances Zemba, Mary Obrovac, Gloria Michaelson, Emily Titus, Emerald Richey

SOPHOMORES

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

President - - - - - - - - Ramon Palcko

Vice-President - - - - - - - Edward Tarlosky

Secretary - - - - - - - - Robert Roth

Class Motto: The success of tomorrow depends upon the preparation you are making today.

Class Flower - - - - - - - - Red Rose

Class Colors: - - - - - - - - Red and White

In August, 1943, a group of extremely frightened boys and girls with F's painted on their foreheads in lipstick were introduced to Cumberland. The boys were herded downtown and when they returned they had been treated to a rain-barrel shampoo. A few days later we were told that we must wear signs to advertise our first football game. We were paraded about the building by the upper classmen who awarded prizes for the best sign. The hazing was soon forgotten, and we found ourselves a part of the school organization for which we learned to have the greatest respect and admiration.

August 1944, we came back to Cumberland for our sophomore year. We were eager to meet the new freshmen class and return past favors.

Our class was well represented this year in boys' sports. The sophomore boys participating in football were: Koball, Jackson, Curtis, Clarcheck, Mohammed, Ketchum, Bishop, Randolf, Rutter, Doody, and Leigh. Other students were active in the F. C. A., girls' chorus and the band.

At the beginning of the school term, the student Council was organized. The Sophomore representatives in this organization were: Melvin Bishop, Joe Novotney, and Robert Zadel.

Our activities were very limited this year because we were not organized until recently. We are looking forward to being Juniors and making bigger strides in our school activities.

To the Seniors who are about to face a fast-changing world, we wish success.

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Third Row: Julia Blasko, Barbara Condit, Fremont Blaker, Jack Connor, Joe Clarcheck, Melvin Bishop, John Fartely, Harry Danovich, Donna Ellenberger, Florence Bodish

Fourth Row: Robert Doody, Catherine Bystry, Velma Clark, Virginia Commons, Margaret Freshanko, Irene Filipovich, Evelyn Bodavinac, Mary Jo Blevins, Virginia Baily, Nick Dragich.

First Row: Russell Mohammed, Louis Lewandowski, Harry Moore, William Pinckney, James Luxner, John Mateychak, Richard Luxner, Steve Haloski, William Johnston

Second Row: Nellie Jewell, Gloria Nichols, Julianna Majesky, Mary Frances Lewandowsky, Dolores Hartman, Jacqueline Kern, Theresa Hajduk, Mary Louise Lewandowsky, Leona Nickler, Helen Krismanic.

Third Row: Joan Hathaway, Emil Koballa, Matthew Mason, Thurman Mayhle, Francis Haney, Clifford Lincoln, Oliver Kimmell, Joe Novotny, William Moredock, Mary Olchesky, Dolores Krosinger.

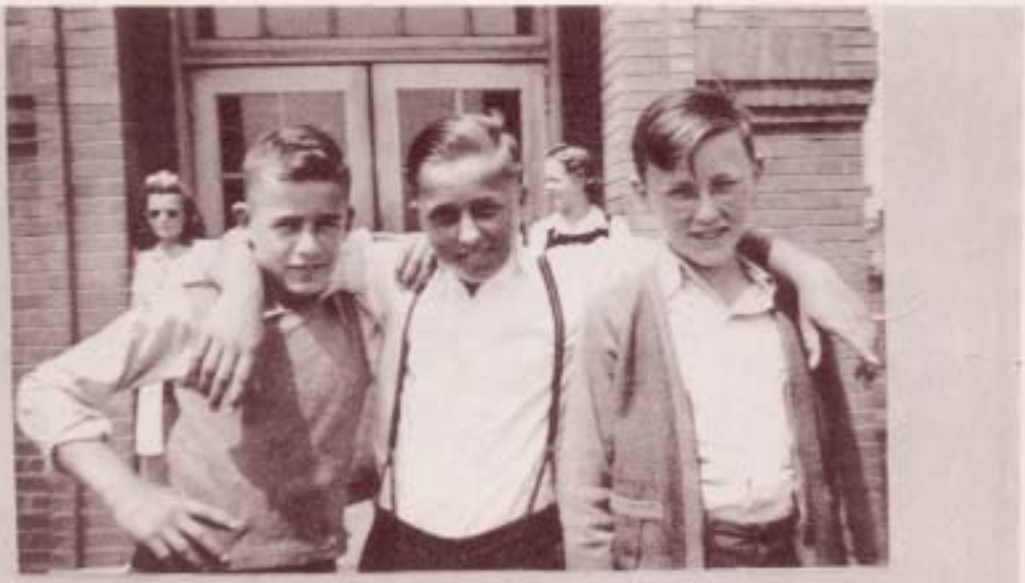
Fourth Row: Mary Prebonich, Emma McDermott, Richard Lucas, Morris Ketchem, Harold Jackson, Mike Kostak, Mike Koroly, French Leigh, Robert Mason, Lucille Hardesty, Betty Miller.

First Row: Ramon Palko, John Urban, Robert Stilwell, Russell Stephenson, Jack Swift, Robert Roth, Chester Stout.

Second Row: Rosa Sargent, Betty Shubert, Elizabeth Rumancik, Ruthelle Shimek, Donna Sleighman, Marilyn Ralko, Gertrude Sredinsky, Betty Wilkovich, Mary Lou Sanetrik, Anita Richter

Third Row: Lillian Smalsky, Edward Tarlosky, William Sica, Robert Rutter, Nick Yanchek, Ronald Waggett, John Stypula, William Whipkey, Gertrude Wolff.

Fourth Row: Dorothy Sredinsky, Jean Yarish, Jean Tomko, Margaret Stehulak, Sara Sharpnack, Mildren Urbany, Audrey Reynolds, Evelyn Zoldos.



FRESHMEN

FRESHMAN HISTORY

At the beginning of the school term, a new group of freshmen entered Cumberland High. We were anxious and willing to take part in school activities, but were ignorant of school habits; so we were taught them. Our first lesson was obedience to our upper classmen. This came the first few days of school.

As time passed, we became more accustomed to school regulations and began to feel more at home. We were gradually becoming a part of the school organization.

Several freshmen took part in athletics. Some went out for football and were privileged to play in the last game of the season. A few went out for basketball and made the B-Squad. All the freshmen took part in the home room basketball tournaments.

Our representatives on the Student Council were: Domonick Christy, Gene Miller, and Maitland Wilson. They were elected as presidents of their home rooms.

Lacking organization, we have not promoted any activities. However, our participation in various events has prepared us for leadership, and now we are looking forward to the time when we will be upper classmen and there will be other freshmen.

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Third Row:

Elizabeth Bankovich, Cecelia Cihon, Emily Gusich, Melvin Grooms, Louis Cardilla, Frank Bodnar, Calistas Anderson, Jack Enci, Stanley Block, Genevieve Buday, Doris Grooms, Virginia Board

Fourth Row:

Virginia Kales, Eleanor Gallo, Anna Louise Cree, Frances Cybak, Dolores Busti, Lucille Drockton, Wilma Blaker, Catherine Baresich, Gloria Bruce, Dolores Bankovich

First Row:

Ray Nickolson, Ray Hartley, John Lapsnic, Gene Miller, Nick Kartley, Charles Leichliter, Donald Haines, George Leigh

Second Row:

Dorothy Lapsovich, Violet Kerr, Julia Lapsnic, Betty Jackman, Peggy Moore, Dolores Myers, Dolores Kizer, Betty King, Lillian Koroly, Mary Holupka, June Holupka, Helen Herbik

Third Row:

Walter Klimek, Jack Murphy, Jack Hartley, Lawrence Martof, Robert Mt. Joy, John Nemesh, Gerald Nickols, Nick Muskovac, David Helmick, Garath McMinn

Fourth Row:

Marcella Hyneckeal, Helen Phillips, Charles Koral, Eugene Harris, Robert Olschesky, Robert Horwath, Paul May, Richard Journic, Isabell McDonald, Betty Markulic

First Row:

Ruth Szoyka, Betty Swift, Florence Swansiger, Mabel Robinson, Margaret Rizer, June Ridenour, Audrey Ann Slaboda, Dolores Palcko, Helen Stehulak, Joy Taylor, Anna Marie Tassone, Gans Rumble.

Second Row:

John Paoli, Edward Peksa, Herbert Tressler, James Swift, Maitland Wilson, Dick Wayne, Charles Sloneker, Reicks Sagges, Robert Pakish, Albert Severini, John Schlifer

Third Row:

James Sargent, Dorothy Varesko, Catherine Sauers, Renelda Thompson, Jean Sloneker, Dolores Petratus, Helen Stopich, Willa Ann Ward, Dolores Whipkey, Dolores Pokas, Shirley Plues, Dorothy Voytek

ACTIVITIES

BASKETBALL 1945

First Row

Valent Rumancik, Paul Negria, Rudy Tarlosky, Joe Lorinchak,
Edmund Ralko, George Bruce, Mike Markulic

Second Row

Mr. Cree, *coach,* Harold Wilson, Richard Lucas, Russell Crawford,
Joe Novotney, Robert Rutter, Arthur Biddle, Nick Yanchek,
Eugene Flenniken, Edward Tarlosky, Mr. Hathaway, *coach*

Third Row

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Matthew Mason, Chester Severini, Melvin Bishop, George Kartley,
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Third Row

Mr. Cree, Robert Mt. Joy, *Manager,* George Bankovich, Robert Rutter, Leonard Udovich, Jack Goodman, Joe Lorinchak, George Brude, Andrew Ward, Russell Crawford, George Baily, Eugene Flenniken, *manager,* Mr. Venen

Fourth Row

Matthew Gusick, *manager;* Ralph Curtis, Robert Doody, Robert Pakish, Harold Jackson, Joe Clarcheck, Richard Wayne, Louis Cardilla, Jack Murphy, Russell Mohammed, James Sargent, Mike Kostak

GIRLS' C CLUB

First Row

Maddline Thompson, Frances Prodan, Rita Roth, Anna Mae Sabo, Irene Babyak, Bertha Hollis, Gertrude Cutler, Betty West, Eleanor Harbaugh, Agatha Shuman, Betty Jean Connor

Second Row

Mary Gorgalas, Marcia Gland, Doris Baily, Claire Barclay, Dortha Kerr, Miss Baily, *sponsor,* Billie Bishop, Emily Titus, Emerald Richey, Mary Stopich, Helen Baily

Third Row

Lorraine Hollis, Juanita Krause, Verna Novak, Marie Colaianni, Gertrude Bogden, Betty Brooks, Helen McWilliams, Mary Kerr, Sophia Kasinec

BOYS' VARSITY C CLUB

First Row

Valent Rumancik, Melvin Bishop, George Bankovich, Roy Polak, Mike Markulic, James Guesman, Emil Koball, Harold Jackson, George Bruce

Second Row

Mr. Cree, *sponsor;* Paul Negria, Leonard Udovich, Richard Urda, Robert Zadel, Joe Lorinchak, Jack Goodman, Carl Pakish, Andrew Ward, Rudy Tarlosky, George Baily, Carl Allison

BAND

First Row

Rita Roth, Raymond Grooms, Mary Gorgalas, Helen Baily, Emerald Richey, Dortha Kerr, Donald Campbell, Mary Berardi, Flora Baily, Helen Jane Allayaud, Wilbur Mundell, Marilyn Ralko, Marcia Gland.

Second Row

Betty Miller, Mrs. Funk, *director,* Vivian Cales, Billie Bishop, Doris Kizer, Genevieve Buday, Lillian Smalsky, Frank Nemesh, Gregg Waters, Paul Valla, William Sica, Richard Lucas, Ray Hartley, John Nemesh, Gene Miller, Charles Cielinsky

Third Row

Jack Goodman, Bobby Roth, Jay Taylor, William Forsyth, Michael Kostak, Ira Grooms, Robert Mt. Joy, Verna Novak, Dora Christopher, Emily Titus, Betty Markulic, Renelda Thompson, Dolores Whipkey, June Ridenour, Donna Carroll, Gans Rumble.

F. C. A.

First Row

William Forsyth, Ralph Curtis, Russell Stephenson, Lawrence Martof, Frances McDermott, William Stockdale, Robert Rutter, William Moredock, Richard Luxner

Second Row

Robert Williamson, John Jumber, Melvin Bishop, Charles Hart, James Guesman, Arthur Biddle, Paul Sharpnack, Mr. Vail, *sponsor,* Rudy Viol, Andrew Luxner

MIKE STAFF

First Row

Betty West, Margaret Holupka, Rita Roth, Anna Mae Sabo, Shirley Richter, Gertrude Cutler, Betty Jean Connor, Agatha Shuman, Adeline Stepanic, Kay Sudar

Second Row

Charles Koral, Miss Steele, *sponsor,* Dortha Kerr, Edna Mae Bell, Paul Valla, Rudy Tarlosky, Frank Wozniak, Florence Bodish, Irene Babyak, Mrs. Hollister, *sponsor*

STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row

Dominick Christy, Gene Miller, Robert Zadel, George Bruce,
Rita Roth, Harold Wilson, Charles Cielinsky

Second Row

Maitland Wilson, Joe Katusa, Mr. Hathaway, *sponsor,*
Paul Valla, Joe Novotny, Melvin Bishop

BOOSTER CLUB

First Row

William Urbany, Wilbur Mundell, Robert Rich,
Rudy Viol, Leslie Hunyady

Second Row

Harry Rich, James Evans, Paul Valla, Richard Urda,
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STUDENT SERVICE CLUB

First Row

Mary Lorinchak, Dorothy Repko, Mary Obrovac, Mike Markulic,
Phyllis Andrews, Marion Lapsevich, Nellie Podabinsky

Second Row

Roy Polak, Chester Severini, Albert Cybak, Vernon Blaker,
Rudy Tarlosky, George Baily, Mr. Venon, *sponsor*

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First Row

Doris Baily, Gertrude Cutler, Marie Colaianni,
Erna Jewell, Bertha Hollis

Second Row

Claire Barclay, Dortha Kerr, Mr. Kerr, *sponsor,* Joe Lorinchak,
Edward Kaifesh, George Bruce, Valent Rumancik

PRESS CLUB

First Row

Betty Jean Connor, Shirley Richter, Gertrude Cutler,
Agatha Shuman, Adeline Stepanic

Second Row

Mrs. Hollister, *sponsor,* Rita Roth, Margaret Holupka, Rudy Tarlosky,
Frank Wozniak, Irene Babyak, Betty West, Anna Mae Sabo

DRAMATIC CLUB

First Row

Leslie Hunyady, Eleanor Harbaugh, Rita Roth, Dorothy Barron, Robert Williamson,
Betty Cowell, Gene Miller, June Holupka, Marcia Hyneckeal

Second Row

Miss Goodwin, *sponsor,* Harold Wilson, Maxine Deems, Catherine Randolph,
Betty Brooks, Edna Mae Bell, Billie Bishop, Verna Novak, Emily Titus, Emerald Richey

Third Row

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Helen Baily, Sophia Kasinec, Helen McWilliams, Mary Kerr

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LIBRARY COUNCIL

First Row

Betty Cowell, Helen McWilliams, Mary Kerr, Eleanor Harbaugh, Catherine Randolph

Second Row

Maxine Deems, Miss Goodwin, *sponsor,* Verna Novak, Betty Brooks

CHEER LEADERS

Dolores Palcko, Michael Demchak, Anna Mae Sabo, Jean Goodish,
Robert Williamson, Lucy Berardi

BASKETBALL TEAM

The basketball team of the past season, under their coach, Mr. Cree, may be considered one of the greatest in the history of Cumberland.

The blue and gold quintet, led by George Bruce, veteran guard, top scorer, and captain, comprised one of the most balanced and high scoring teams in the district and turned in a record season which included the Section 15 Championship.

The Mikes faced a twenty-two game schedule and were entered in a section in which nine teams competed. Suffering only two setbacks, setting a new scoring record of 1,010 points against 553 for their opponents, and gaining the Section 15 title, the team, along with their Coach, Mr. Cree, enjoyed one of the most successful seasons ever turned in on the hardwood floor.

The setbacks suffered by the Mikes were at the hands of Waynesburg and North Belle Vernon; and then by small margins and on the opponents' courts. The Mikes undefeated on the home floor this season, have made the record of losing one game in two years at home; this being to Uniontown last season.

Much of the credit of the team's success must be granted to Mr. Cree, our present coach, and Mr. Venen who gave the boys their first three years of training.

The entire varsity of Rumancik, Markulic, Lorinchak, Tarlosky, Bruce, and Ralko will be lost to the team by graduation leaving Mr. Cree to build an entire team around Negria, the only regular left.

By gaining the Section 15 Crown, we repeated a feat accomplished only once in the history of basketball at Cumberland; that in '41.

The Mikes then entered the W.P.I.A.L. play-offs against South Union at Washington, but due to injuries of several players and the breaks against them, they dropped on overtime encounter by the close marign of two points.

The Mikes led 31-30 with the game practically over when a foul was called against them. This raised a great deal of controversy and criticism as many believed the game was over before the foul was called. But South Union, making the foul, deadlocked the game and in the overtime period took a 34-32 decision.

One of the greatest factors against the blue and gold was their inability to score at the foul line as they only completed 8 out of 21 attempts. This same factor also played a great part in the only other two setbacks of the Mikes this season.

The scoring for the Mikes was led by Rumancik and Ralko with 8 tallies, followed by Bruce 4, Negria 4, R. Tarlosky 4, Lorinchak 2 and Markulic 2.

Eliminated from the play-offs the Mikes ended another basket-ball season. Although not advancing far in the play-offs the team upheld the blue and gold during the season in terms of basketball.

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BASKETBALL

INDIVIDUAL SCORING OF THE TEAM

Bruce	214
Ralko	170
Lorinchak	165
Rumancik	155
Markulic	101
Negria	93
R. Tarlosky	73
Wilson	15
Cybak	13
E. Tarlosky	5
Morris	4
Flenniken	2
TOTAL	1,010

SEASON'S RECORD AS FOLLOWS:

C. T. H. S.	54	Mapletown*	33
C. T. H. S.	27	Brownsville*	25
C. T. H. S.	28	Waynesburg*	32
C. T. H. S.	46	Ellsworth	15
C. T. H. S.	43	Mapletown*	18
C. T. H. S.	40	Jefferson	11
C. T. H. S.	51	Waynesburg*	30
C. T. H. S.	50	Centerville	25
C. T. H. S.	27	East Bethlehem	19
C. T. H. S.	21	N. Belle Vernon	22
C. T. H. S.	30	East Pike	28
C. T. H. S.	43	West Bethlehem	24
C. T. H. S.	47	Bentleyville	27
C. T. H. S.	70	Ellsworth	25
C. T. H. S.	49	Brownsville*	27
C. T. H. S.	55	Jefferson	10
C. T. H. S.	73	Centerville	41
C. T. H. S.	48	East Bethlehem	26
C. T. H. S.	52	N. Belle Vernon	35
C. T. H. S.	45	East Pike	35
C. T. H. S.	53	West Bethlehem	26
C. T. H. S.	58	Bentleyville	20
C. T. H. S.	1,010	Opponents	553

*Denotes exhibition games.

FOOTBALL

The end of the 1944-45 gridiron season found the record of the Cumberland Mikes fairly successful, considering the schedule they faced during the season.

Playing a total of eleven games the Mikes met several schools of a superior class but nevertheless equaled or bettered most of their opponents.

The blue and gold eleven were coached by Mr. Venen who, after leading the gridiron tems of Cumberland for twenty years, gave up the team to take up the responsibilities of being principal. During his coaching span, Mr. Venen produced many great teams and is considered dean of all coaches in the county. He was succeeded by Mr. Cree who took over the team the latter part of the season.

The offense of the Mikes differed this year as they used the T formation. Led by Ralko, star quarter-back, the team often marched close to opponent's goals but lacked the necessary punch in their touchdown drives.

The season's record showed the Mikes winning three, tying three and losing five games. In their successful encounters, the Mikes beat Waynesburg, our traditional rivals, tripped Georges and swamped Mapletown.

The Mikes also gave Masontown plenty of competition in one of the best played games of the season. The strong Fayette County team, runners up in the Middle Monongahela Championship Race, had their hands full as the blue and gold fought them to a 7-7 tie.

Markulic, right halfback, led the team in points and also took scoring honors in the county with 52 tallies. Ralko followed with 26, Zadel 24, Anderson 13, Curtis 6, and Urda 1.

Players lost by graduation are: Bruce, Ralko, and Markulic from the backfield; Polak, Pakish, and Lorinchak from the line; Ralko, quarter-back and captain of the team, saw action on the varsity eleven four straight years.

With the majority of the team returning, we may look forward to next year's varsity, who with their new coach Mr. Cree, should have as good or much better season.

THE TEAM

L.E.	Urda	R.F.	Pakish
L.F.	Baily	R.E.	Zadel
L.G.	Polak	Q.	Ralko
C.	Koballa	R.H.	Markulic
R.G.	Allison	L.H.	Bishop
F.	Anderson		

THE SEASON'S RECORD

C. T. H. S.	12	German	18
C. T. H. S.	0	E. Bethlehem	13
C. T. H. S.	7	Masontown	7
C. T. H. S.	0	Trinity	14
C. T. H. S.	0	Burgesstown	25
C. T. H. S.	0	Jefferson	15
C. T. H. S.	18	Waynesburg	6
C. T. H. S.	13	North Union	13
C. T. H. S.	19	Georges	6
C. T. H. S.	13	Centerville	13
C. T. H. S.	40	Mapletown	0
C. T. H. S.	122	Opponents	130

GIRLS' C CLUB

The Girls' C Club, organized in 1933, is a well-known organization for girls under the supervision of Miss Harriette Baily. The purpose of the club is to stimulate active participation in school affairs and to arouse in the girl a realization that a good physical attitude, as well as mental, scholastic and social, are necessary to a personality.

To be eligible for membership, a girl must earn one thousand points acquired through good sportsmanship, gym work, activities, good school spirit, attitude toward classmates and faculty, personal hygiene, and at least an average scholastic standing.

The girls have been active all year holding sweater hops and selling refreshments after football games. The Club has purchased club pins and letters, and for the first time since their organization, they have also bought sweaters. The Girls' C Club sponsor the intra-mural basketball games. Perhaps the most exciting activity will be the girls' Gym Night, planned for May 18. It will consist of gymnastics, games, dances, drills, tumbling, bicycling, and calisthenics. The purpose of Gym Night is to bring about a closer bond between the parents and their daughters.

This year the club was composed of thirty girls. The senior members and those receiving sweaters are Bertha Mae Hollis, president; Gertrude Cutler, vice-president; Helen Irene Babyak, secretary-treasurer; Shuman, Connor, West, Thompson, Barclay, D. Baily, Bogden, Sabo, Stopich, Kerr, Harbaugh, Colaianni, Stevulak, and Brooks.

BOYS' VARSITY C CLUB

The Varsity "C" Club was re-established this year after some years of inactivity. This club is composed entirely of boys who have earned letters in the field of sports. The object of the club is to promote teamwork and co-operation among the boys in sports activities and in the school. Sweaters and letters are awarded the boys for participation in varsity sports. These coveted sweaters are blue with gold service strips.

The club is under the sponsorship of Mr. Albert W. Cree. The club officers are: Mike Markulic, president; Roy Polak, vice-president; Valent Rumancik, secretary-treasurer.

BAND

After losing many members by graduation last year, the band started to rebuild with a very small number. Aided greatly by the addition of twenty new members and almost daily practice, the band showed much improvement. Under the direction of Mrs. Evelyn Funk, the band played for the football games, and they plan to play at Uniontown on May 1 and on Decoration Day.

Two members will be lost by graduation; they are Paul Valla and Helen Jane Allayaud.

DRAMATIC CLUB

The Dramatic Club was organized in '42. It has been increasing in membership every year. The purpose of the club is to promote and to help the club members develop their acting ability.

With the untiring aid and directing of Miss Goodwin, the club sponsor, the members have successfully presented special plays for Thanksgiving, Christmas, Armistice Day, and also short plays and comedies at other times during the year.

The club officers are as follows: Robert Williamson, president; Edna Mae Ball, vice-president; John Hathaway, secretary-treasurer. Members who will be leaving because of graduation are: Harry Rich, Claire Barclay, Leslie Hunyady, Helen Irene Babyak, Agatha Shuman, Eleanor Harbaugh, Betty Brooks, and Catherine Randolph.

LIBRARY COUNCIL

The Library Council, another of our newly created clubs, was organized in the latter part of '44 with the purpose of keeping the library open during all periods of the day, promoting more and better reading and creating an interest in library science.

The Council is composed of eight girls, each taking her turn in the library during the different periods of the day. They keep check on students who have books overdue and with the fines collected on such books. They have already purchased five books since the club first started four months ago.

The Library Council is sponsored by Miss Goodwin who has done an excellent job in training the girls. The officers of the Council are: Mary Kerr, president; Helen McWilliams, vice-president; Eleanor Harbaugh, secretary; Catherine Randolph, treasurer. The senior members who will be lost to the club the coming year are Betty Brooks, Eleanor Harbaugh, and Catherine Randolph.

STUDENT COUNCIL

This year the Student Council was reorganized after several years of inactivity. Each home room held an election of officers. The president of each home room became the representative for that room in the Student Council. The organization had a total of twelve members under the sponsorship of Mr. Richard Hathaway.

Thd duties of the Council are numerous. It gives approval to and has charge of all school activities. It supervises extra curricular activities in the school. It must give approval to organizations of new clubs, and set dates for social events which must in turn be approved by Mr. Venen.

The officers of the club are: president, George Bruce; vice-president, Rita Roth; secretary-treasurer, Robert Zadel.

FUTURE CRAFTSMEN

On May 19, 1938, Cumberland Township High School was granted a charter to organize a Future Craftsmen of America Club. This nation-wide organization has been very helpful in the war effort by making spotter model airplanes. For a Junior Red Cros project the club made lamps, tables, and ash trays which were sent to our veterans' hospital. The boys have done a good job in serving as general repair-men about school.

The present membership consists of eighteen boys under the sponsorship of our shop teacher, Mr. George B. Vail. The graduating members of this club are Charles Stewart, John Jumber, Rudy Viol, Francis McDermott, William Stockdale, and Charles Hart. The club officers are: president, William Stockdale; vice-president, Francis McDermott; secretary, Robert Rutter; and treasurer, Lorence Martof.

MIKE STAFF

The Mike, our school newspaper, was first published in 1933. It is prepared by carefully selected students of Cumberland High and edits such features as news items, fashions, gossip, sports, and jokes. The Mike has become very popular since its first publication and there is always a feeling of excitement among the students every time they are distributed.

In spite of the many shortages, the Mike Staff has been able to publish the Mike five times this year. The last edition was published entirely by the underclassmen under the direction of the faculty advisors who were Miss Steele and Mrs. Hollister. They selected the members of the staff on their ability to write and willingness to work.

Each publication of the Mike is sent to our alumni in the service to keep them posted on our school activities. Judging by the many letters received from them, we are sure the Mike has given them reading pleasure.

The following seniors will be lost to the Mike this year: Gertrude Cutler, editor-in-chief; Helen Irene Babyak, Agatha Shuman, Frank Wozniak, Shirley Richter, Margaret Holupka, Adeline Stepanic, Anna Mae Sabo, Betty West, Betty Jean Connor, Paul Valla, Dorthea Kerr, and Rudy Tarlosky.

BOOSTER CLUB

The Booster Club is one of the more recent clubs to be organized. It was started by a group of senior boys in December, 1944. Later the membership was enlarged to include more senior boys and a few juniors.

The purpose of the club is threefold: to increase the sale of bonds and stamps in the school; to leave behind a memorial for the school; to boost any worthwhile school project. The total sales of bonds and stamps up to February 22, 1945 is $5,646.45.

The club officers are: president, Robert Rice; vice-president, William Urbany; secretary, Wilbur Mundell; treasurer, Rudy Viol. Members of the club include: Paul Valla, Joe Bialko, Harry Rich, James Evans, Robert Rice, William Urbany, Leslie Hunyady, Glenn Wilson, Rudy Viol, Wilbur Mundell, Richard Urda, and Joe Katusa.

The organization lost no time in getting into the social whirl by sponsoring the season's first orchestra dances featuring the Rythmaires.

STUDENT SERVICE CLUB

The Student Service Club, a newly created group, was formed for the purpose of practicing and encouraging good citizenship throughout the school. It has been active since the last of January of this year. The club serves at dances or other entertainment held in the school. Their duty is to see that there is no loitering in the halls, and that at all times proper conduct is observed. They also have charge of the hall traffic during school hours.

Membership into the club is obtained through request from the student who wishes to join or by a reference from two teachers recommending the student. He is then voted upon by the present members of the organization.

The club consists of fourteen members. Officers are: Markulic, president; Roy Polak, vice-president; and Mary Lorinchak, secretary-treasurer. Under the supervision of Mr. D. P. Venen, the club sponsor, they have proved themselves an active and efficient organization.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honorary Society was founded in 1921 by the Department of Secondary-School Principals. The Cumberland Chapter was established in 1933. We have been a charter member since 1938. Today there are about 2300 chapters throughout the world.

The purpose of this society is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of secondary schools.

Only juniors and seniors are eligible to membership in the society. Juniors must have 8 A's at the end of the first semester of their junior year, and seniors must have 13 A's at the end of the first semester of their senior year.

All members receive a membership card and a pin. At the beginning of this year there were eleven members.

Mr. Kerr is sponsor of the society, and the officers are: Joe Lorinchak, president; and Claire Barclay, secretary-treasurer.

PRESS CLUB

The Press Club, an up and coming organization, had its beginning at the first of the second semester in 1943. Only Mike Staff editors were eligible to become members of this club. Before a person is admitted, he must have written news, sports, jokes or other features amounting to one hundred inches on a type-written page measured lengthwise; or he must have completed satisfactory work for a year book edition. A mimeographer must have service a year previous to membership and an artist a half year.

During the year, The Press Club held a sweater hop to acquire money for club pins for its members.

The club is sponsored by Mrs. Hollister and consists of eleven members. The club officers are as follows: Agatha Shuman, president; Anna Mae Sabo, vice-president; Shirley Richter, secretary-treasurer. Other members are: Helen Irene Babyak, Gertrude Cutler, Adeline Stepanic, Frank Wozniak, Betty J. Connor, Betty West, Rudy Tarlosky, Paul Valla, Margaret Holupka, and Rita Roth.

JOKES

Miss Goodwin: Reading maketh a full man.
Carl Pakish: So will home brew.

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Shirley Richter: How dare you swear before me?
Rudy Tarlosky: How did I know you wanted to swear first?

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Mr. Hathaway: Helen Jane, what is a vacuum?
Helen Jane Allayaud: I have it in my head, but—
Mr. Hathaway: Exactly, but please define it.

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Mrs. Baily (to Plane Geometry Class) What do we mean when we say the whole is greater than any of its parts?
Francis Haney: A doughnut!

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Pauline Demchak: When did you ever catch me flirting?
Richard Urda: The day I met you.

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Bob Rice: The doctor says I have camel feet.
Adeline Stepanic: How's that?
Bob Rice: They've gone a long time without water.

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Mrs. Valla: Be very careful in crossing streets.
Paul Valla: Oh, don't worry, Mother. I always wait for the empty space to come by.

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Helen Irene Babyak: Everything you say goes in one ear and out the other.
Mr. Kerr: Of course—there is nothing there to stop it.

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Gertrude Cutler: The doctor said she needed salt air.
Betty Jean Connor: Husband take her to the sea shore?
Gertrude Cutler: No, he fanned her with a herring.

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Traffic Officer: What's the matter, lady? Can't you control that car?
Betty Anne Gideon: Well, you see, officer, I just had my car washed and I can't do a thing with it.

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Alice Kronk: What's the best thing for insomnia? I have had a bad attack of it.
Catherine Balog: Just go to bed and sleep it off.

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Office Manager: Before we can engage you, you will have to take an intelligence test.
Madelyne Thompson: Intelligence test! Why, the ad said you wanted a stenographer.

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Frank Wozniak: I see you are reading a book on travel.
Harry Rich: Yes, I'm on vacation. As I cannot afford to travel, I read books and make believe that I go places.
Frank Wozniak: But you are reading the book backwards.
Harry Rich: Yes, I'm on the return trip.

Mr. Bonifield: How much can you carry?
Mike Markulic: Two hundred pounds.
Mr. Bonifield: Suppose there was a woman out in the water drowning and she weighed four hundred pounds. How could you save her?
Mike Markulic: I'd make two trips.

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Mr. Crago: Now we find that X is equal to zero.
Leona Nickler: Whew! All that work for nothing.

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Wilbur Mundel: Yes, old pal, I'm the fastest man in the world.
Frank Nemish: How come?
Wilbur Mundel: Time flies, doesn't it. Well, I beat time.

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Charles Cielensky: At last I've discovered what they do with the holes in the doughnuts.
Ira Grooms: What?
Charles Cielensky: They use them to stuff macaroni with.

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Bonnie Krause: What is the noblest kind of dog?
Marcia Gland: I give up.
Bonnie Krause: The hot dog. It not only doesn't bite the hand that feeds it, it feeds the hand that bites it.

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Bill Stockdale: Ever hear of dry paint?
Charles Stewart: Yes.
Bill Stockdale: Well, the paint that you're sitting on won't be that for the next twenty-four hours.

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John Hathaway: I once ran into a flock of geese while I was doing seventy miles an hour.
Edward Boyle: I'll bet you were scared.
John Hathaway: No, but I was covered with goose flesh.

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Jean Goodish: What do you mean by telling your boyfriend that I was deaf and dumb?
Theresa Bizub: I didn't say deaf.

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Well, said the doctor to Agatha Shuman. Have you followed my dieting instructions and eaten only what a three year-old child would?
Agatha Shuman: Yes, doctor. For dinner I had a handful of mud, one of coal dust, a buttonhook and a box of safety matches.

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Mrs. Funk: What is it that Brazil produces more of than any other country?
George Bankovich: Brazilians.

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Russel Crawford: Haven't I met you some place before?
Mary Lou Burke: Possibly. Sometimes I get a little careless where I go.

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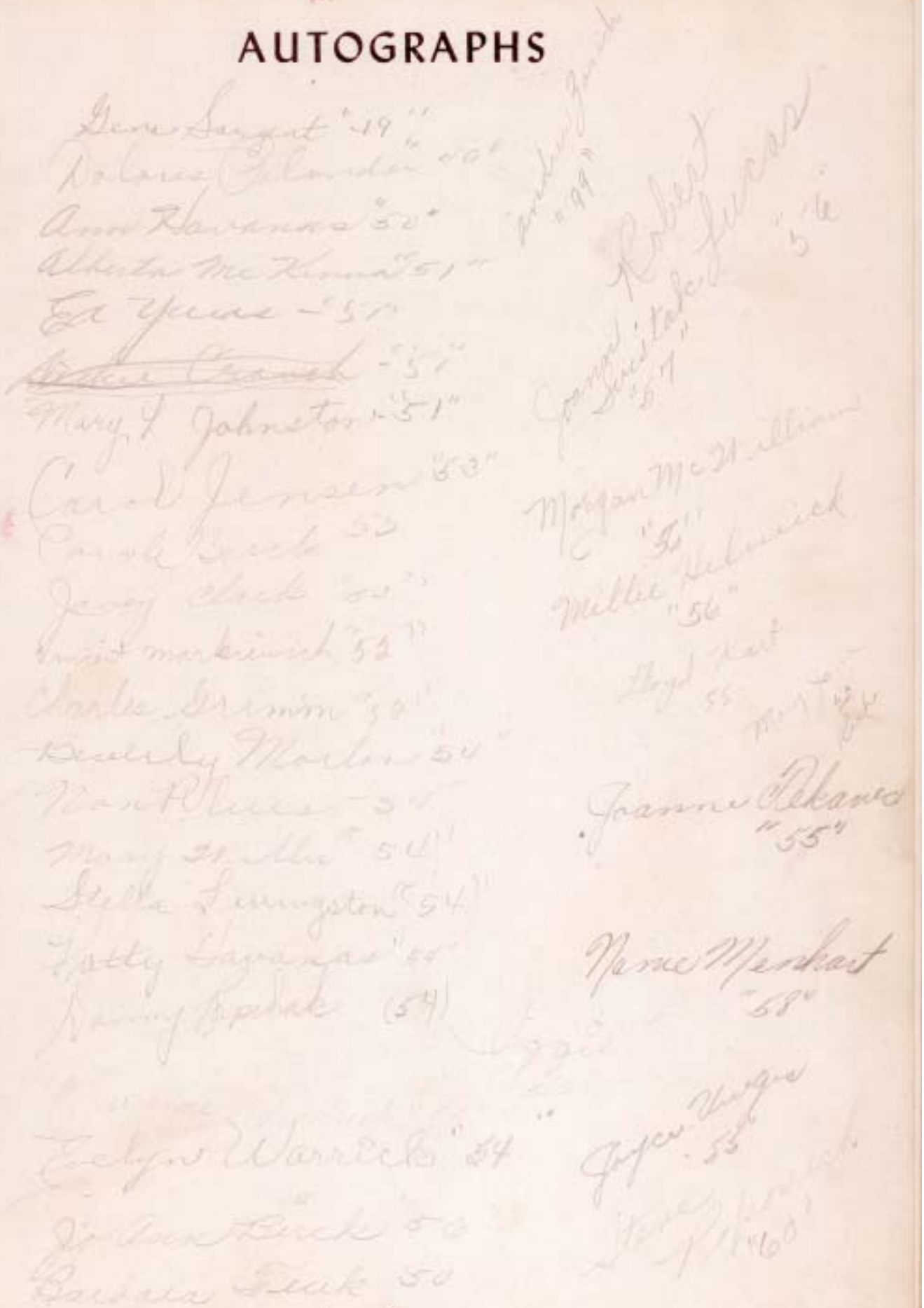

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